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RUEFHQA/HQ USAF FOR AFNICAD & AFRDRP
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RUHHHQA/CINCPAC
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SUBJ: EVALUATION OF GIANT SCALE MISSION S-266 FLOWN 16 OCT 1968

1. QUALITY SUMMARY: THE OVERALL QUALITY OF THIS MISSION IS COMPARABLE TO RECENT GIANT SCALE MISSIONS. CLOUDS AND HAZE OBSCURE OR DEGRADE APPROXIMATELY 60 PERCENT OF THE IMAGERY. PHOTO-INTERPRETATION SUITABILITY IS CONSIDERED TO BE FAIR. EMPIRICAL GROUND RESOLUTION ESTIMATES OF THE BEST IMAGERY AT OPERATIONAL

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ALTITUDE ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- A. LEFT TECHNICAL OBJECTIVE CAMERA
- B. RIGHT TECHNICAL OBJECTIVE CAMERA
- C. LEFT OPERATIONAL OBJECTIVE CAMERA
- D. RIGHT OPERATIONAL OBJECTIVE CAMERA
2. ANALYSIS OF TECHNICAL OBJECTIVE CAMERAS.
 - A. COMMENTS APPLICABLE TO BOTH CAMERAS.
 - (1) THE IMAGERY DISPLAYS AN APPARENT OUT OF FOCUS CONDITION AFTER EACH CAMERA OFF/ON OF AN HOUR OR LONGER. THIS ANOMALY HAS BEEN REPORTED ON PREVIOUS MISSIONS.
 - B. LEFT TECHNICAL OBJECTIVE CAMERA (S/N 6403).
 - (1) NO UNUSUAL ANOMALIES.
 - C. RIGHT TECHNICAL OBJECTIVE CAMERA (S/N 6426).
 - (1) NO UNUSUAL ANOMALIES.
3. ANALYSIS OF OPERATIONAL OBJECTIVE CAMERAS.
 - A. COMMENTS APPLICABLE TO BOTH CAMERAS.
 - (1) NO UNUSUAL ANOMALIES.
 - B. LEFT OPERATIONAL OBJECTIVE CAMERA (S/N 4033).
 - (1) NO UNUSUAL ANOMALIES.
 - C. RIGHT OPERATIONAL OBJECTIVE CAMERA (S/N 4034).
 - (1) NO UNUSUAL ANOMALIES.

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